CITY OF CALEXICO

INVITATION FOR BIDS

INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS VAN DE GRAAFF AVENUE AND COLE BLVD RAISED MEDIAN AND TRAFFIC SIGNAL

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The City of Calexico is inviting bids for the Intersection Improvements Van De Graaff Avenue and Cole Blvd Raised Median and Traffic Signal project in the City of Calexico.

2. SCOPE OF WORK

The work shall include but not limited to installation of a traffic signal, raised median, concrete curb returns, striping and traffic control.

3. PROJECT SCHEDULE

To be completed within one hundred eighty (180) calendar days from date of contract award.

4. PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

SEALED PROPOSAL will be accepted at the Office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 608 Heber Avenue, Calexico, California on or before November 10, 2010 at 10:00 AM at which time all proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. All questions shall be submitted in writing to the City of Calexico Engineering Division by 5:00 pm on October 26, 2010, questions should be emailed to engineering@calexico.ca.gov. No questions will be accepted after this date and time.

A summary of the bids will be presented to the City Council at their meeting of Tuesday, December 7 at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 608 Heber Avenue, Calexico, California.

Each bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing on the outside the name of the bidder, his/her address, and the name of the project for which the bid is submitted. If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelope containing the bid must be enclosed in another envelope addressed as specified in the bid form.

Copies of plans and specifications may be obtained at Office of the General Services Director located at 644 Pierce Avenue, Calexico, California, for a non-refundable fee of \$55.00. A charge of \$20.00 extra shall apply if the documents are to be mailed. Checks are to be made payable to the City of Calexico.

No bid will be received unless it is made on the prescribed bid form furnished by the General Services Director. Each bid must be accompanied by a guaranty of cash, certified check, and cashier check or bidders' bond made payable to the City of Calexico for an amount equal to at least ten percent of the bid. Such guaranty to be forfeited should the bidder to whom the contract is awarded fails to enter the contract. All guaranties are to be returned after the contract is awarded.

The bid may be considered incomplete and be disqualified if any of the following information is not provided.

Proposal/Bid Form Workmen's Compensation Certificate
Bid Bond Drug/Alcohol Testing Requirements

Proposal Agreement Noncollusion Affidavit

Subcontractor's Listing Corporate Certification Partnership Information

1. On the bid form(s), the unit price items and total contract price must be written in words and figures. The words and figures shall appear on the blank spaces provided.

2. On the bid form(s), the List of Subcontractors shall be completed. If no subcontractor will be used, indicate an "X" mark on the space provided for "No" subcontractor.

<u>Prevailing Wage Rates:</u> In accordance with the provision of Section 1770 to 1781 of the Labor Code as duly enacted by the State of California, the City Council of the City of Calexico has ascertained the general prevailing rate of wages applicable to the work to be done as those shown in the specifications of the work. Information on the current prevailing wages can be obtained by contacting the State of California, Department of Industrial Relations, Division of Labor Statistics and Research, P.O. Box 603, San Francisco, California 94101 (415) 737-2794. This project will be under the Davis-Bacon and State of California Prevailing determinations, and are included in the Special Provisions. The particular wage rates will be determined by the highest rate between the Davis Bacon and State determinations.

All bids are to be compared on the basis of the Engineer's estimate of the quantities of work to be done. A bid will only be accepted from a Contractor who is licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 9, Division 3, of the Business and Professions Code of the State of California as amended.

Special attention of all prospective bidders is called to "Proposal Requirements and General Conditions" annexed to the blank form of the Proposal for full directions as to bidding, etc.

If bidder is a corporate entity and is awarded the contract, prior to execution of the contract, Contractor shall submit satisfactory, documentary proof that the person(s) executing said contract on the behalf of said corporation has authority to do so.

CITY'S RIGHT RESERVED: The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informality in a bid, and to make awards in the interest of the City.

DATE: 9-16-10 CITY OF CALEXICO, CALIFORNIA

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